

Minutes of the hybrid meeting of the Scientific Board of the FF MU on 6 February 2025

Venue: the FF MU Dean's meeting room, building C, second floor + online

1. Application for extending the authorisation to implement the Bachelor's degree programme Norwegian Language, Literature and Culture

Conclusion: In accordance with Section 27(2)(a) of Act No.111/1998 Coll., on Higher Education Institutions and on the Modification and Amendment of Other Acts (Higher Education Act), as amended, internal regulations the Masaryk University Degree Programme Quality Regulations the Scientific Board of the FF MU has discussed and approved the proposal to extend the Bachelor's degree programme in Norwegian Language, Literature and Culture and recommend it to the MU Internal Evaluation Board for approval.

Voting result:

Number of members of the Scientific Board: 34

Number of votes cast: 26

Number of positive votes: 26

2. Change of guarantor of the degree programme Norwegian Language, Literature and Culture (Bachelor's degree programme)

Conclusion: the Scientific Board of the FF MU approves the new guarantor Mgr. Tomáš Bratina, Ph.D., for the degree programme Norwegian Language, Literature and Culture (Bachelor's degree programme).

Voting result:

Number of members of the Scientific Board: 34

Number of votes cast: 25

Number of positive votes: 25

3. Application for extending the authorisation to implement the follow-up Master's degree programme in Nordic Studies

Conclusion: In accordance with Section 27(2)(a) of Act No.111/1998 Coll., on Higher Education Institutions and on the Modification and Amendment of Other Acts (Higher Education Act), as amended, internal regulations the Masaryk University Degree Programme Quality Regulations the Scientific Board of the FF MU has discussed and approved the proposal to extend the Master's Degree Programme in Nordic Studies

and recommends it to the MU Internal Evaluation Board for approval.

Voting result:

Number of members of the Scientific Board: 34

Number of votes cast: 26

Number of positive votes: 26

4. Application for extending the authorisation to implement the follow-up Master's degree programme Psychology

Conclusion: In accordance with Section 27(2)(a) of Act No.111/1998 Coll., on Higher Education Institutions and on the Modification and Amendment of Other Acts (Higher Education Act), as amended, internal regulations the Masaryk University Degree Programme Quality Regulations the Scientific Board of the FF MU, the Scientific Board of the FF MU has discussed and agrees with the proposal to extend the Master's degree programme in Psychology and recommends it to the MU Internal Evaluation Board for approval.

Voting result:

Number of members of the Scientific Board: 34

Number of votes cast: 26

Number of positive votes: 26

5. Habilitation proceeding - Mgr. Veronika Hrušová, Ph.D.

Field: Classical philology

The Chair:

prof. PhDr. Daniela Urbanová, Ph.D.

Members:

prof. dr hab. Beata Gaj

prof. Lenka Karfíková, Dr. theol.

doc. PhDr. Josef Bartoň, Th.D.

PhDr. Petr Kitzler, Ph.D., DSc.

Course of the proceedings: At the beginning of the proceedings, the Chair of the Habilitation Board, prof. Urbanová, introduced the applicant and summarized the course of the Board's work.

In her lecture entitled *Valentinian Terminology in the Works of Clement of Alexandria*, the applicant showed the role of philological work in the field of patristics: she presented the specific way in which Titus Flavius Clemens (a literary scholar and teacher who worked in Alexandria, Egypt, in the last two decades of the second

century) used and reinterpreted the terminology of a religious current that is collectively called "Valentinian gnosis". She presented a short excerpt from Clement's work *Stromata*, containing an enigmatic statement by the author, the meaning of which is not clearly understood even when the wider context is taken into account. The lecture showed that in order to understand this and other similar statements contained in Clement's work, it is necessary to take into account the author's hidden allusions to, among others, the works of Valentinian thinkers, and especially his terminological borrowings that serve to express his own original concepts.

The lecture was followed by a lively discussion in which dr. Hrušová answered questions from the opponents and members of the Scientific Board.

Conclusion: the Scientific Board of the FF MU agrees with the proposal to appoint Mgr. Veronika Hrušová, Ph.D., as an Associate Professor in Classical Philology.

Voting result:

Number of members of the Scientific Board: 34

Number of present members of the Scientific Board: 27

Number of votes cast: 26

Number of positive votes: 25

6. Habilitation proceeding - Jakub Drábik, Ph.D.

Field: History - Czech history

The Chair:

prof. PhDr. Jiří Hanuš, Ph.D.

Members:

Prof. Dr. Constantin Iordachi

prof. PhDr. Vít Hloušek, Ph.D.

prof. PaedDr. Martin Pekár, PhD.

doc. PhDr. Jana Čechurová, Ph.D.

Course of the proceedings: At the beginning of the proceedings, the Chair of the Habilitation Board, prof. Hanuš, introduced the applicant and summarized the course of the Board's work.

In his lecture entitled *Czech Fascism in a Global Context*, the applicant briefly presented the definition of fascism created by R. Griffin, which forms the conceptual-methodological framework of the research on Czech fascism, specifically the NOF (National Fascist Community), which dr. Drábik is conducting. The lecture then moved on to a brief analysis of the current Czech historiography of the NOF and its shortcomings. The main theme of the lecture was then to outline two basic theses. Firstly, that the comparative framework for research on Czech fascism should be other fascist parties and movements in the world, and not democratic parties, as is

the case in Czech historiography. The second theme was the attempt to place Czech fascism in a global context, arguing that although the NOF is a specific national permutation, it is a manifestation of the broader phenomenon of fascism and should be treated as such. This implies, above all, the need for research on the NOF as a cultural and social phenomenon, which is virtually absent from existing historiography. In his conclusion, dr. Drábik tried to emphasize the relevance of such research even today.

The lecture was followed by a lively discussion in which dr. Drábik answered questions from the opponents and members of the Scientific Board.

Conclusion: the Scientific Board of the FF MU agrees with the proposal to appoint Jakub Drábik, Ph.D., as an Associate Professor in History - Czech History.

Voting result:

Number of members of the Scientific Board: 34

Number of members of the Scientific Board present: 25

Number of votes cast: 24

Number of positive votes: 24

doc. Mgr. Irena Radová, Ph.D.
Dean

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